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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

## **Notice of Opposition**

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

## **Opposer Information**

Name	Moby's Auto Spa,Inc.
Granted to Date of previous extension	03/26/2008
Address	Suite 200 One Monument Square Portland, ME 04101 UNITED STATES

Correspondence information	James F. Keenan, Jr. Attorney for Opposer Bernstein, Shur, Sawyer & Nelson 100 Middle Street Portland, ME 04104 UNITED STATES
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## **Applicant Information**

Application No	77205602	Publication date	11/27/2007
Opposition Filing Date	03/24/2008	Opposition Period Ends	03/26/2008
Applicant	Whale Wash, LLC 10511 Ilona Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90064 UNITED STATES		

## Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 037.
All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: Car washing

## **Grounds for Opposition**

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)

## Marks Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	3099118	Application Date	06/21/2004	
Registration Date	05/30/2006	Foreign Priority Date	NONE	
Word Mark	MOBY'S AUTO SPA ONE WHALE OF A WASH!			
Design Mark				
Description of	The mark consists of The word "MOBY'S" above the words "AUTO" and "SPA"			

Mark	with a cartoon style drawing of a whale with a car coming out of its mouth being between the words "AUTO" and "SPA", all of this being above the phrase "ONE WHALE OF A WASH".
Goods/Services	Class 037. First use: First Use: 2005/12/31 First Use In Commerce: 2005/12/31
	Automobile washing, detailing and polishing services

U.S. Registration No.	3024749	Application Date 06/16/2004		
Registration Date	12/06/2005	Foreign Priority NONE Date		
Word Mark	ONE WHALE OF A WASH			
Design Mark				
Description of Mark	NONE			
Goods/Services	Class 037. First use: First Use: 2005/09/30 First Use In Commerce: 2005/09/30			
	Automobile washing, detailing and polishing services			

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Signature	/James F. Keenan, Jr./
Name	James F. Keenan, Jr.
Date	03/24/2008

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Moby's Auto Spa, Inc.,		Mark:	WHALE WASH
Opposer,	)	Serial No.:	77/205,602
v.	)	Filed:	June 13, 2007
Whale Wash, LLC	)	Int'l Cl.:	37
Applicant.	)	Published:	November 7, 2007

#### NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

In the matter of the above-identified application for the registration of a trademark, Opposer, Moby's Auto Spa, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Kentucky, and having a place of business in Portland, Maine believes it would be damaged by the registration of the mark shown in Serial No. 77/205,602 in Class 37 and therefore opposes registration of said mark. The grounds for opposition are as follows:

- 1. The Applicant seeks to register WHALE WASH as a trademark for "car washing" in International Class 37. A copy of the details of the mark as filed is attached as Exhibit A.
- 2. Opposer has since at least as early as September 2005 used the mark ONE WHALE OF A WASH, MOBY'S AUTO SPA ONE WHALE OF A WASH and a Whale character in relation to its own car washing and detailing services.
- 3. Opposer is the owner of United States Trademark Registration Nos.
  3,024,749 for ONE WHALE OF A WASH and 3,099,118 for the MOBY'S AUTO SPA
  ONE WHALE OF A WASH LOGO in International Class 37 for "automobile washing,

detailing and polishing services" (collectively, the "Whale Trademarks"). A copy of the details of these registrations is attached as Exhibit B.

4. The mark WHALE WASH sought to be registered by Applicant is

substantially similar to Opposer's previously used and registered Whale Trademarks,

such that the use of the mark WHALE WASH is likely to cause confusion, to cause

mistake, or to deceive purchasers and others as to the source or origin of Applicant's

services, thereby causing irreparable harm and damages to Opposer.

5. The services in connection with which Applicant seeks registration are

likely to be marketed and sold through the same channels of trade and to the same class

of purchasers as Opposer's such that use and registration of the mark WHALE WASH in

connection with these services is likely to cause confusion, to cause mistake, or to

deceive purchasers and others as to the source or origin of these services, thereby

irreparably damaging Opposer.

WHEREFORE, Opposer respectfully requests that this opposition be sustained

and that application Serial No. 77/205,602 be refused.

Date: March 24, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

/s/James F. Keenan, Jr.\_

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# Whale Wash

Word Mark WHALE WASH

Goods and Services IC 037. US 100 103 106. G & S: Car washing

**Standard Characters** 

Claimed

Mark Drawing Code (4) STANDARD CHARACTER MARK

Serial Number 77205602 Filing Date June 13, 2007

Current Filing Basis 1B
Original Filing Basis 1B

Published for Opposition November 27, 2007

Owner (APPLICANT) Whale Wash, LLC LTD LIAB CO NEVADA 10511 Ilona Avenue Los

Angeles CALIFORNIA 90064

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# ONE WHALE OF A WASH

Word Mark ONE WHALE OF A WASH

**Goods and Services** IC 037. US 100 103 106. G & S: Automobile washing, detailing and polishing services.

FIRST USE: 20050930. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 20050930

**Standard Characters** 

Claimed

Mark Drawing Code (4) STANDARD CHARACTER MARK

Serial Number 78436261 Filing Date June 16, 2004

Current Filing Basis 1A
Original Filing Basis 1B

Published for Opposition April 26, 2005
Registration Number 3024749

**Registration Date** December 6, 2005

Owner (REGISTRANT) Moby's Auto Spa, Inc. CORPORATION KENTUCKY c/o Jay S. Geller, Esq.

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#### ONE WHALE OF A WASH!

MOBY'S AUTO SPA ONE WHALE OF A WASH! **Word Mark** 

Goods and IC 037. US 100 103 106. G & S: Automobile washing, detailing and polishing services. FIRST

Services USE: 20051231. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 20051231

Mark Drawing (3) DESIGN PLUS WORDS, LETTERS, AND/OR NUMBERS Code

01.01.09 - Stars, two; Two stars **Design Search** 

01.01.13 - Stars - multiple stars with five points Code

01.15.25 - Coal; Dust; Light rays; Liquids, spilling; Pouring liquids; Sand; Spilling liquids

03.19.02 - Orcas; Whales

03.19.24 - Stylized fish, whales, seals, sea lions

18.05.01 - Cabs, taxi; Cars (not emergency); Hearses; Limousines; Race cars; Taxicabs

26.17.10 - Lines, zig-zag; Zig-zag line(s)

78438283 **Serial Number** June 21, 2004 **Filing Date** 

**Current Filing** 1A

**Basis** 

**Original Filing Basis** 

1B

**Published for** Opposition

October 25, 2005

Registration Number

3099118

Registration

May 30, 2006

Date

(REGISTRANT) Moby's Auto Spa, Inc. CORPORATION KENTUCKY c/o Jay S. Geller, Esq. Suite **Owner** 

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